

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1 – 23 are pending. Claims 1 – 22 are allowed. Claim 23 is rejected.

The applicants' attorney amends claim 23 to address the examiner's rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph — a rejection that is not based on prior art. The applicant's attorney respectfully asserts that claim 23, as amended, is in condition for allowance at least for the reasons discussed below.

If, after considering this response, the examiner believes the claims should not be allowed, the applicants' attorney respectfully requests that before issuing an Office Action, the examiner call Mr. David Plettner (408-447-3013) or Mr. John Janeway (425-455- 5575) to schedule a telephone conference to further the prosecution of the claims.

### **Rejection of Claim 23 under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph**

The applicants' attorney amends claim 23 to remove "wherein the lip is separate from the shaft", but respectfully disagrees with the examiner's interpretation of "separate". Separate does not necessarily mean not attached. The lip could be separate from the shaft while being attached to the shaft.

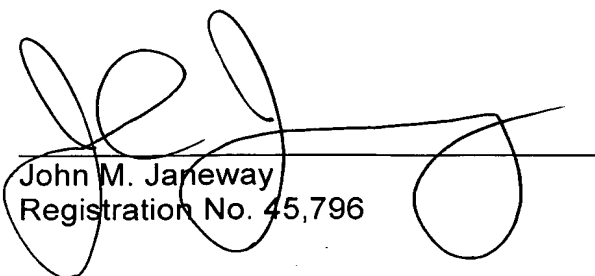
### **Conclusion**

The applicant's attorney respectfully requests the examiner withdraw the rejection against claim 23 and issue an allowance for claims 1 – 23.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge, at any time during the pendency of this application, any required fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.25.

DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 2006.

Respectfully submitted,  
GRAYBEAL JACKSON HALEY LLP



John M. Jarneway  
Registration No. 45,796

Correspondence to:  
Hewlett-Packard Company  
Intellectual Property Administration  
P.O. Box 272400  
Fort Collins, CO 80527-2400  
Phone: (408) 447-3013